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December 11, 1978

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Mr. Mike Spence Tosco Corporation 1600 Broadway Denver, Colorado 80202

> Re: Experimental Shaft

> > Final Approval (Conditional)

ACT/047/001

Dear Mike:

This is to notify you that the Division hereby issues final approval to this project under the provisions of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act.

The notice of tentative approval was published in accordance with State Law and no objections of substance to the proposed shaft were received within the 30 day period subsequent to publishing.

The one condition which must be fulfilled by Tosco is the posting of adequate surety to cover the costs of reclamation. Since our conversation of December 8, 1978 confirmed that the surety estimate was in the process of being submitted, I will await its arrival here and coordinate its posting with the Division of State Lands.

Very truly yours,

RONALD W. DANIELS COORDINATOR OF MINED

LAND DEVELOPMENT

RWD/sp